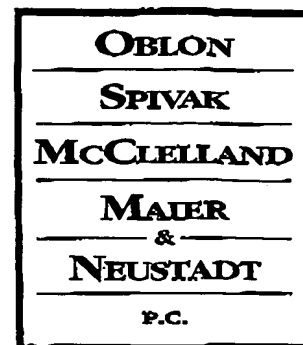


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Dear Colleagues:

It appears that the International Application No. listed on the Notice of Acceptance is incorrect. Specifically, the number is listed PCT/GB04/03339. The correct number should list PCT/JP04/11309, therefore we are requesting a corrected Notice of Acceptance.

With best regards,

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